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also a meeting sponsored by the Newark Evening News & the N.J. unit of the U.N. Dr Phillips explained that Urban Manor is not a segregated project although the public may have reached that conclusion from the newspaper account of the opening.

In the brief discussion which followed it was felt that the Housing Authority should be commended on its resolution to abolish segregation, and that a public letter be written.

Motion to this effect by Mr. P. Farn, seconded and carried.

Mrs. Malone reporting for the Building Com. stated that insurance now covered both building and furnishings. There will be a tax hearing on the morning of Sept 20th with Mr. Diamond representing the League.

Dr Parks stated that the annual public meeting has been deferred until next year. Open house will be observed Oct 11 3-8 P.M. Visitation & m. program and dedication with Mr. Granger as main speaker. The occasion will serve as the opening of the membership drive.

The League has been asked to sponsor a Harmon Foundation exhibit, the money to come thru cooperation of local organizations.

After a rather lengthy discussion,

re to the advisability of the League's sponsoring such an exhibit, two ways of presentation were suggested: a) In the schools thru the Intergroup Council and thru the Civil Rights Commission; b) With the League as co-sponsor to be shown during the Vocational Education campaign.

Attention was called to a derogatory article appearing in a local weekly paper. After lengthy discussion, motion was made by Mrs. Malone, seconded by Mr. Sherman that the article be turned over to the Industrial Relations Com. and any action be recommended by this Com to the Board.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

With profound sorrow the Board of Directors of the Urban League of Essex County record the death of one of its best friends, Dr. William H. Washington. Dr. Washington had served on the Board of Directors since 1942. He was always ready to support the program of the League with material contributions but only this but he was liberal in the matter of time given for counsel and deliberation. He was able to secure for the League many friends who were influenced

by his sincere interpretation of the work.
With the sense of our loss is mingled
deep sympathy for the members of his
family.